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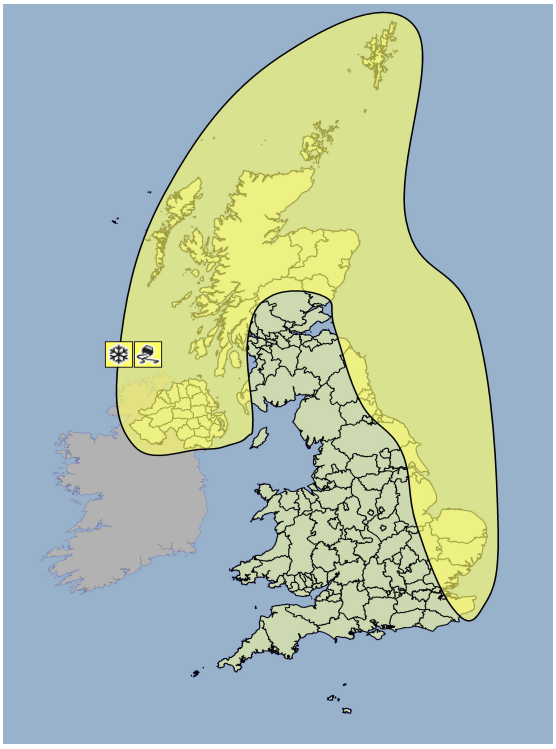

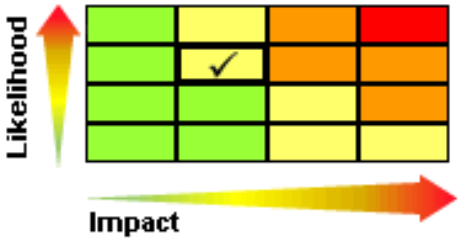


**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
A very cold airmass will continue to spread southwards from Scotland and Northern Ireland across the remainder of the UK later Sunday, and persist through Monday, accompanied by strong winds. Frequent showers are likely to form in this airmass, primarily affecting northern parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland but also running along eastern coastal districts of England at times. Within the cold air snow is likely to accumulate even to low levels wherever showers occur. Periods of enhanced snowfall are possible within this general flow, but details of these are very uncertain at this time. As such this Alert is likely to be subsequently updated and refined.

There is the potential for disruption throughout this period due to the accumulating snow and ice but also with temporary blizzard conditions leading to very difficult driving conditions.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Snow and Ice**

Valid from **15:00 on Sun, 01st Feb 2015** until **23:55 on Mon, 02nd Feb 2015**

Further snow showers will affect parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland, and eastern parts of England, later on Sunday and through the whole of Monday, leading to additional accumulations. The showers will be associated with strong winds, so drifting and temporary blizzard conditions are possible, as well as icy stretches. The public should be aware of the potential for disruption from these conditions.

This is an update to the Alert issued on Friday to slightly modify the areas covered: Wales and southwestern England are now excluded, while the far southeast of England has been included. This is due to a reorientation of the areas covered in the southwest and southeast to mirror latest forecast probabilities.

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  - Cambridgeshire
  - Essex
  - Norfolk
  - Peterborough
  - Southend-on-Sea
  - Suffolk
  - Thurrock
- Grampian
  - Aberdeen
  - Aberdeenshire
  - Moray
- Highlands & Eilean Siar
  - Eilean Siar
  - Highland
- London & South East England
  - Kent
  - Medway
- North East England
  - Darlington
  - Durham
  - Gateshead
  - Hartlepool
  - Middlesbrough
  - Newcastle upon Tyne
  - North Tyneside
  - Northumberland
  - Redcar and Cleveland
  - South Tyneside
  - Stockton-on-Tees
  - Sunderland
- Northern Ireland
  - County Antrim
  - County Armagh
  - County Down
  - County Fermanagh
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  - East Lothian
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